

AO 91 (Rev. 8/01) Criminal Complaint

United States District Court

SOUTHERN

DISTRICT OF

TEXAS

McALLEN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

Leonardo Faustino Mendoza-Ramirez

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

Case Number: M-19-0897-M

IAE YOB: 1984

Mexico

(Name and Address of Defendant)

I, the undersigned complainant being duly sworn state the following is true and correct to the best of my

knowledge and belief. On or about April 18, 2019 in Hidalgo County, inthe Southern District of Texas

(Track Statutory Language of Offense)

being then and there an alien who had previously been deported from the United States to Mexico in pursuance of law, and thereafter was found near Hidalgo, Texas, within the Southern District of Texas, the Attorney General of the United States and/or the Secretary of Homeland Security, not theretofore having consented to a reapplication by the defendant for admission into the United States;

in violation of Title 8 United States Code, Section(s) 1326 (Felony)

I further state that I am a(n) Senior Patrol Agent and that this complaint is based on the following facts:

Leonardo Faustino Mendoza-Ramirez was encountered by Border Patrol Agents near Hidalgo, Texas on April 18, 2019. The investigating agent established that the Defendant was an undocumented alien and requested record checks. The Defendant claims to have illegally entered the United States on April 18, 2019, near Hidalgo, Texas. Record checks revealed the Defendant was formally Deported/Excluded from the United States on June 8, 2016 through Hidalgo, Texas. Prior to Deportation/Exclusion the Defendant was instructed not to return to the United States without permission from the U.S. Attorney General and/or the Secretary of Homeland Security. On December 28, 2012, the defendant was convicted of Malicious Wounding/Murder and was imposed fifteen (15) years sentence.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the statements in this complaint are true and correct. Executed on April 20, 2019.

Continued on the attached sheet and made a part of this complaint:

☐ Yes ☒ No

Submitted by reliable electronic means, sworn to and attested telephonically per Fed. R. Cr.P.4.1, and probable cause found on:

April 20, 2019 @ 3:17 p.m.

Juan F. Alanis, U.S. Magistrate Judge
Name and Title of Judicial Officer

/s/ Kellen Meador

Signature of Complainant

Kellen Meador

Senior Patrol Agent

Signature of Judicial Officer